## **OPINION SUMMARY**

## MISSOURI COURT OF APPEALS EASTERN DISTRICT

## DIVISION ONE

STATE OF MISSOURI,	) ED104409	
	)	
Respondent,	) Appeal from the	Circuit Court of
	) Washington Cou	nty
v.	) 15WA-CR00061	-01
	)	
TERRY DALE ISBELL,	) Honorable Wend	ly Wexler Horn
	)	
Appellant.	) Filed: March 28	, 2017
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Terry Isbell ("Defendant") appeals his conviction, after a jury trial in the Circuit Court of Washington County, of one count of abuse of a child, in violation of Section 568.060.

## AFFIRMED.

<u>Division One Holds</u>: Defendant did not inject any evidence, much less substantial evidence, warranting a self-defense instruction, therefore, the omission of a self-defense instruction could not cause the jury to be misdirected or mis-instructed so as to impinge upon the jury's verdict. Accordingly, the trial court did not plainly err in not instructing, *sua sponte*, on self-defense

Opinion by: Lisa P. Page, J.

Robert M. Clayton III, P.J. and Mary K. Hoff, J., concur.

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